ARROGANT

YOU MADE IT OUT ALIVE!

DECEITFUL

JAB!

TRAITORUS

LUCAS
WYKES

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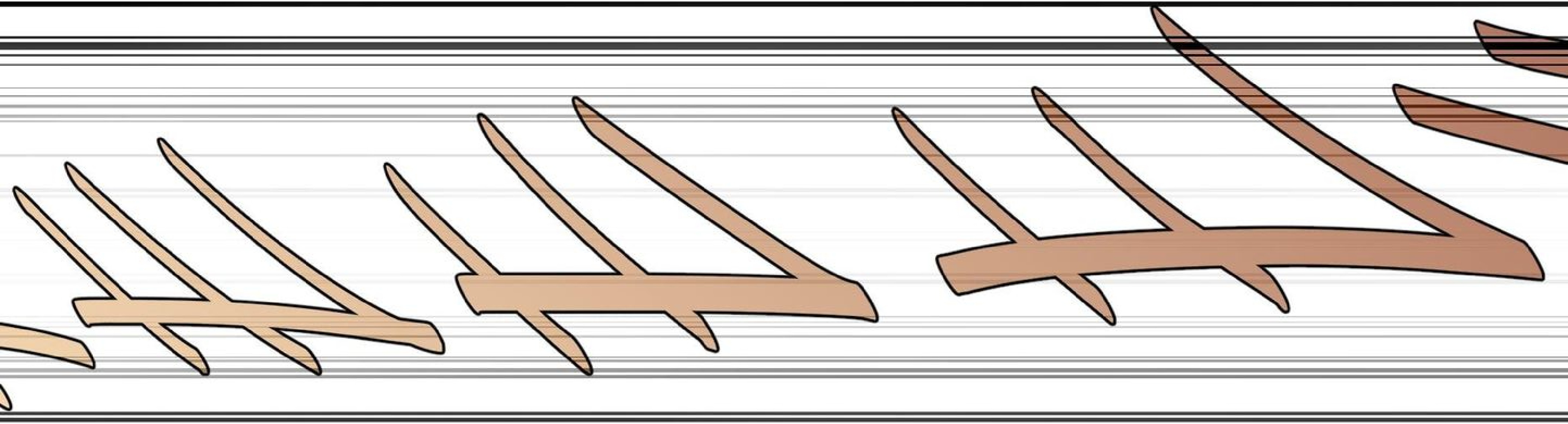

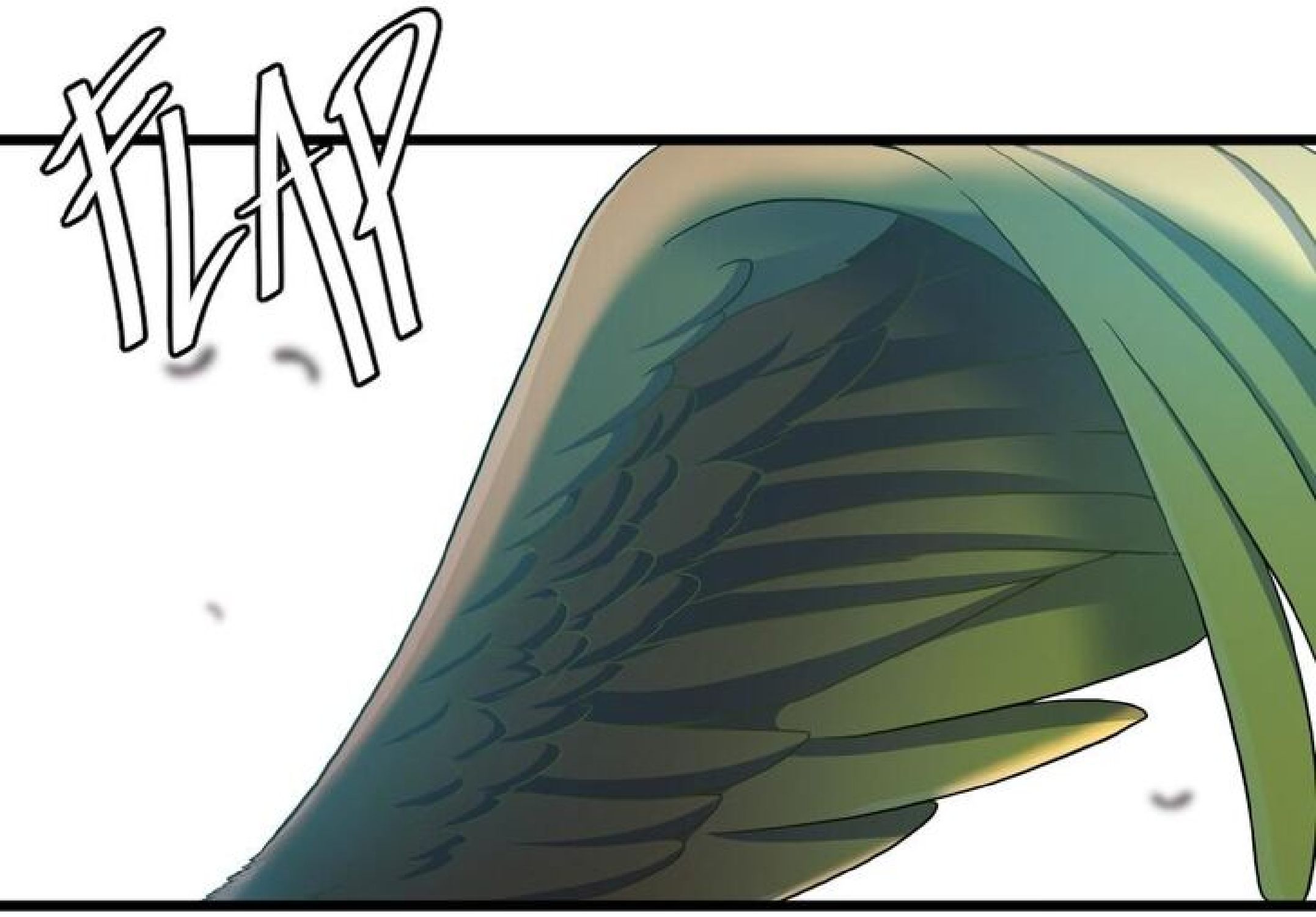
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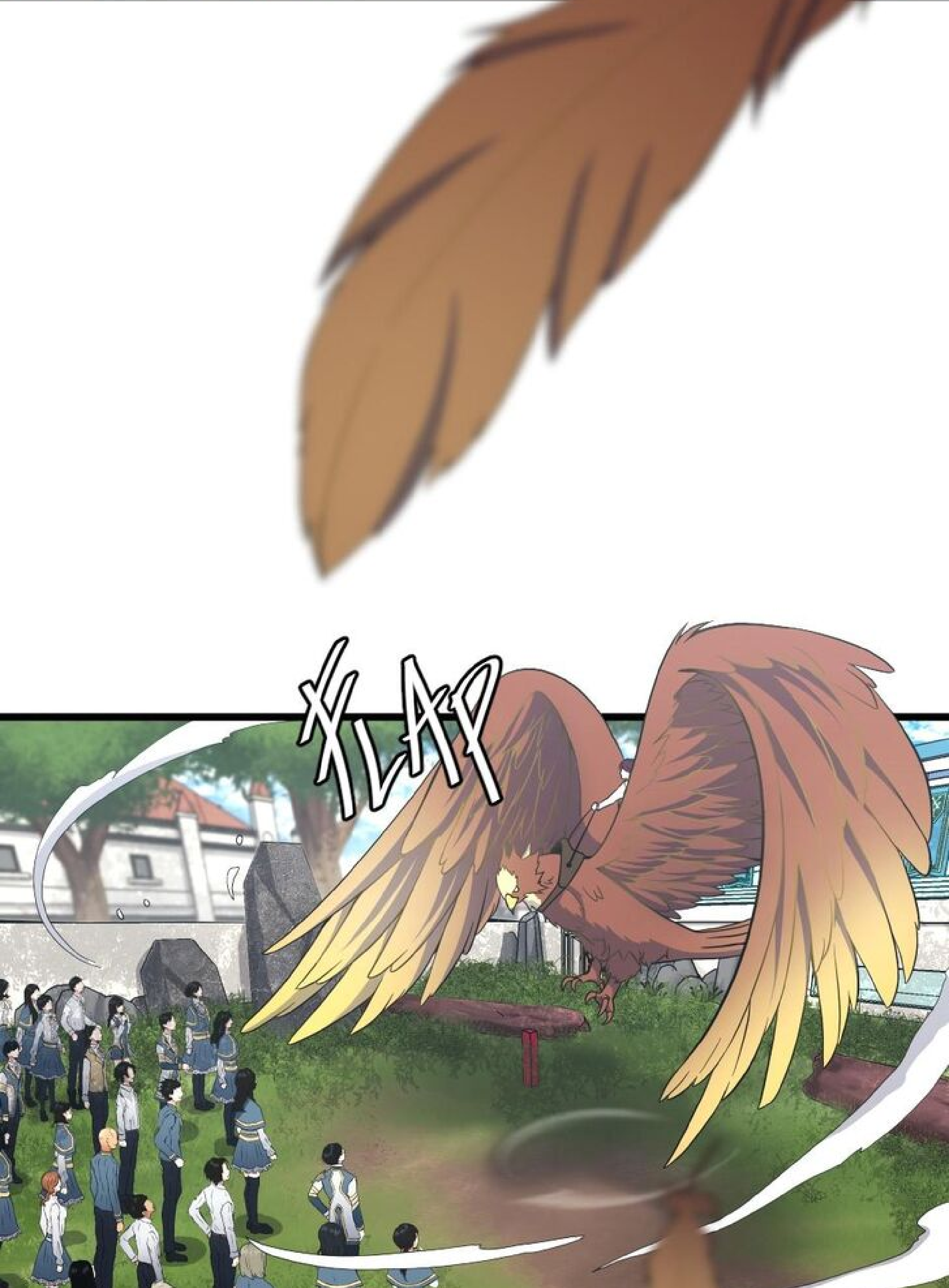
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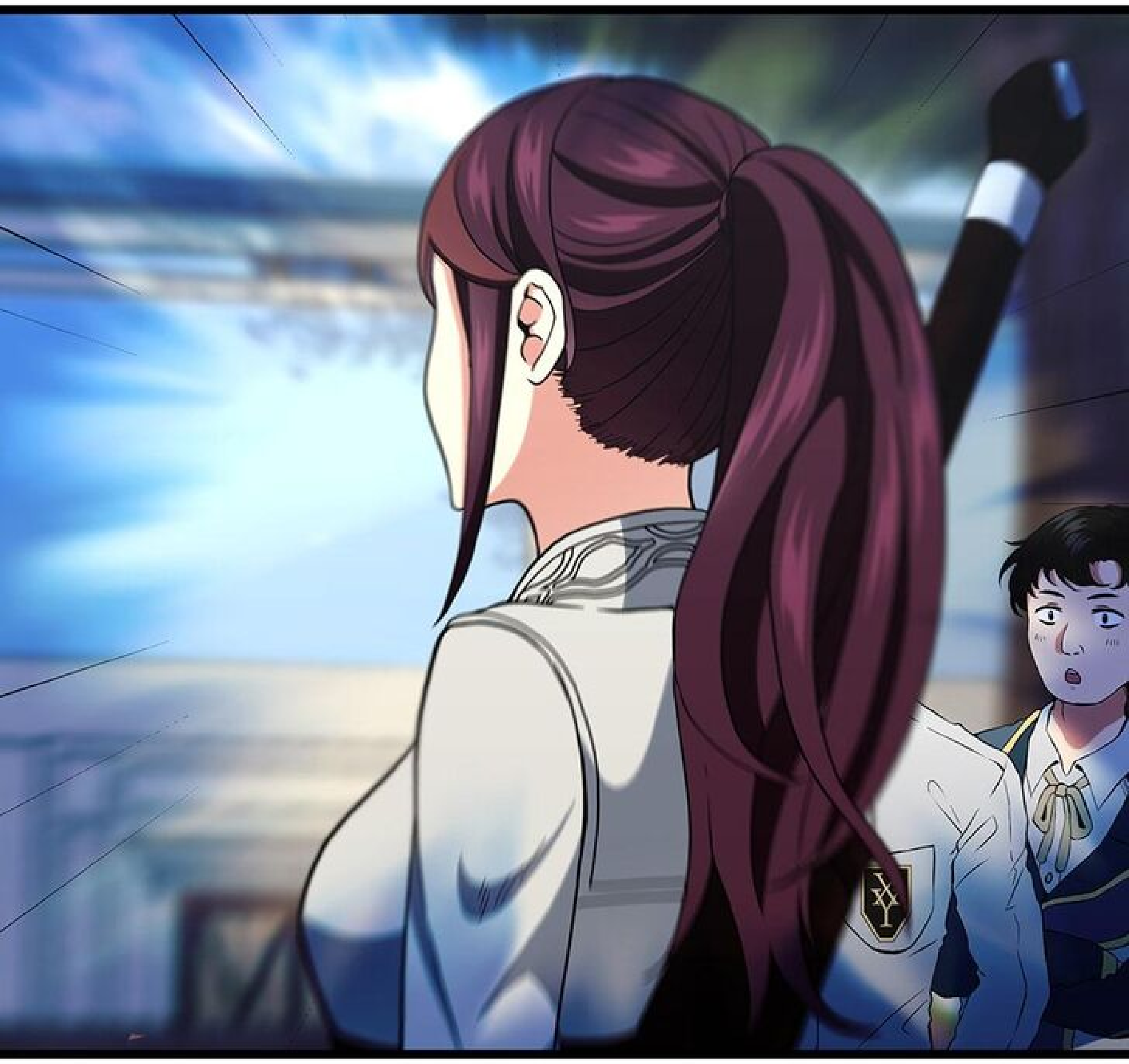
WELCOME!

MY NAME IS *PROFFESOR GLORY*, I'LL BE YOUR INSTRUCTOR FOR *TEAM-FIGHTING MECHANICS I*.

AND THIS FLARE HAWK IS MY BOND, TORCH.

LET'S SEE
HOW STRONG
YOU ARE...



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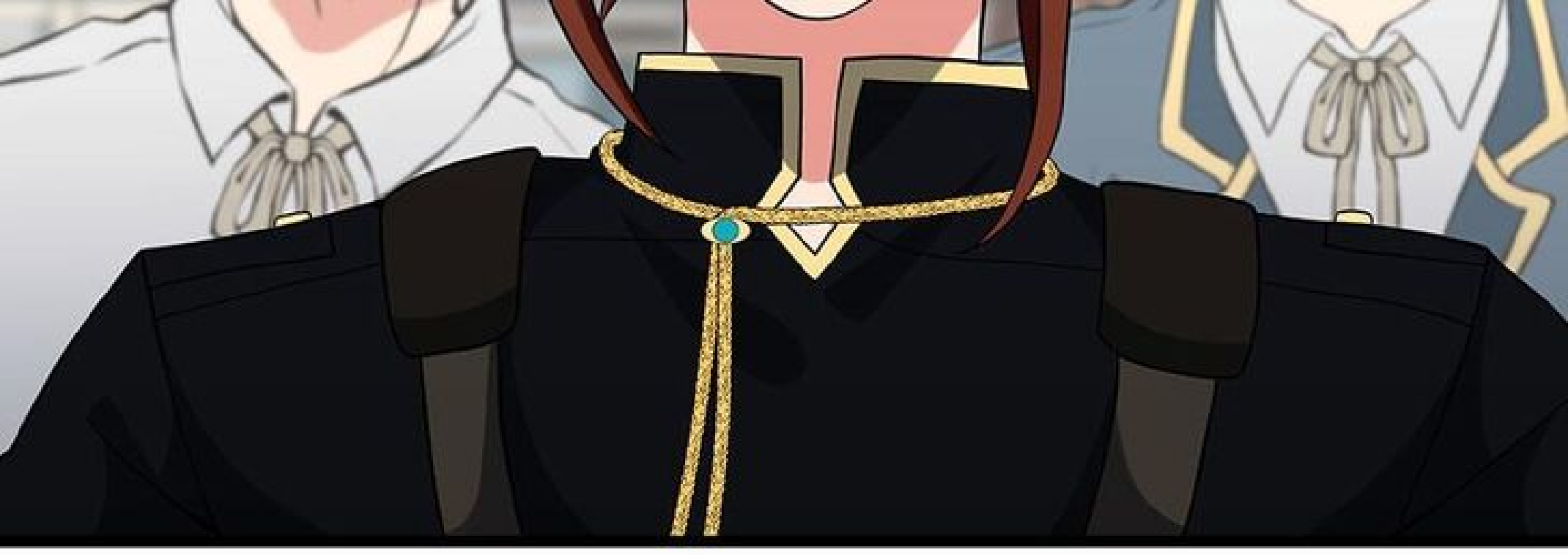
WINCE

KUH!



SHE'S HIDING HER LEVEL AND ELEMENTAL ATTRIBUTE AROUND A BUNCH OF STUDENTS...

...WHY?

WELL,
IF IT ISN'T MY
NEWEST COLLEAGUE,
ARTHUR LEYWIN.

IT'S A PLEASURE TO MEET YOU.

NEWEST COLLEAGUE? WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

I HEARD A RUMOR THAT THERE IS A NEW STUDENT PROFESSOR!

HUH? NO WAY THAT CAN BE HIM.

PROFESSOR GLORY,
IS IT REALLY TRUE?

YES--
NOT ONLY IS
ARTHUR A FRESHMAN
DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE
OFFICER,

HE'S ALSO THE NEWLY APPOINTED PROFESSOR FOR THE PRACTICAL MANA MANIPULATION CLASS YOU ALL TOOK DURING YOUR UNDERCLASSMAN YEARS.

WHILE IT'S ONLY AN INTERIM PROFESSOR POSITION, I'D STILL SAY THAT'S PRETTY DAMN IMPRESSIVE.

WHAT?!

YOU CAN'T BE SERIOUS, PROFESSOR!

HOW IS THAT EVEN POSSIBLE?

EVEN SOME OF THE BEST UPPERCLASSMEN DON'T GET TO TEACH AND YET THIS SCRAWNY FIRST-YEAR DID?!

THAT'S NOT FAIR!

THERE MUST BE A MISTAKE!

DID SHE PUT A TARGET ON MY BACK ON PURPOSE...

NOW, NOW,

WE SHOULD ALL HAVE MORE FAITH IN THE DIRECTOR'S DECISION.

ARTHUR HAS
PROVEN HIMSELF,
TO SOME DEGREE,
BY DEFEATING
THE PROFESSOR
WHO TAUGHT THE
CLASS PREVIOUSLY.

TCH!
BEATING AN
UNDERCLASSMEN
PROFESSOR
MEANS CRAP!

MOST OF US HERE CAN BEAT ONE!

ESPECIALLY ONE THAT WAS JUST SOME THUG ADVENTURER!

YEAH!

OHO~
QUITE THE FIRE
YOU ALL HAVE.

THEN WHY
DON'T YOU TEST
YOUR STRENGTH AGAINST
THE NEW PROFESSOR OF
PRACTICAL MANA
MANIPULATION
TODAY?

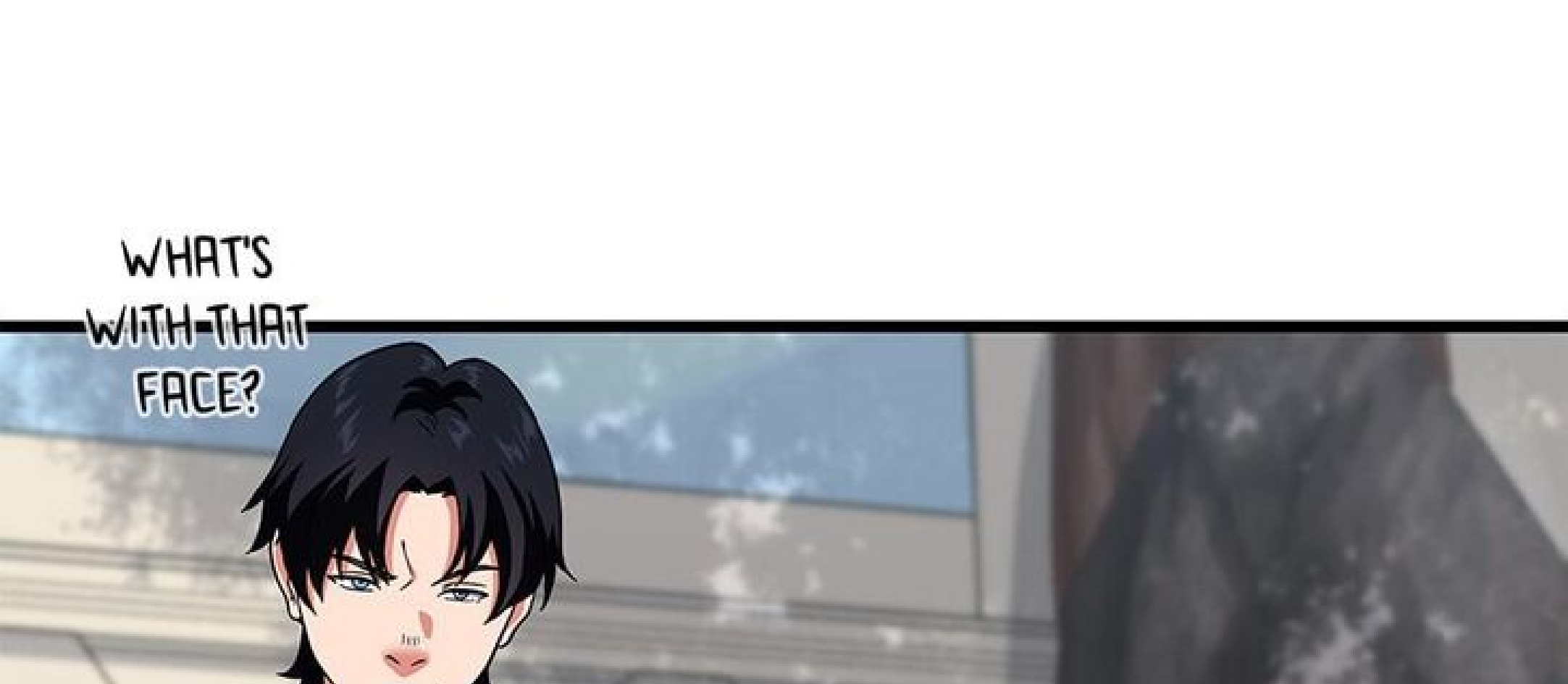
I'M GOING TO KILL THIS BASTARD!

WHO DOES THIS BRAT THINK HE IS?!

KILL!
KILL!
KILL!

WHY IS HE GETTING ALL THE ATTENTION?!

CAN YOU BELIEVE THIS?


WHAT'S WITH THAT FACE?
THANK YOU FOR THE OFFER, BUT DIRECTOR GOODSKY ASKED ME TO TAKE IT EASY ON MY UPPER-DIVISION CLASSES UNTIL I ADJUSTED TO SCHOOL.
THIS IS

MY FIRST DAY,
AFTER ALL.

OH,
COME ON--

THAT'S NO FUN,
NOW IS IT?

YOU'RE

A FIRST YEAR
IN AN UPPER-DIVISION
CLASS.

THERE'S
NO SPECIAL
TREATMENT
HERE.

YOU ONLY
NEED TO PROVE YOUR
QUALIFICATION THROUGH
DEMONSTRATION.

IT'S
ONLY JUST
AND FAIR.

RIGHT, CLASS?

RIGHT!

JUST AND FAIR, MY ASS.

...WHAT DID YOU HAVE IN MIND, PROFESSOR?

I LIKE TO BEGIN
WITH THE SEMESTER WITH
A FUN, CASUAL GAME.
LIKE...

WAR?
CONQUEST?

HOW
ABOUT IT,
KIDS?

SINCE WHEN
WERE WAR AND
CONQUEST FUN...

PROFESSOR,
WE HAVE A
SUGGESTION.

HOW ABOUT
A TEAM MOCK BATTLE
WITH THE THREE DISCIPLINARY

COMMITTEE OFFICERS
ON ONE TEAM?

IT WOULD BE
A GOOD OPPORTUNITY
FOR US TO WORK ON
OUR TEAMWORK.

HM...
NOT A BAD
IDEA.

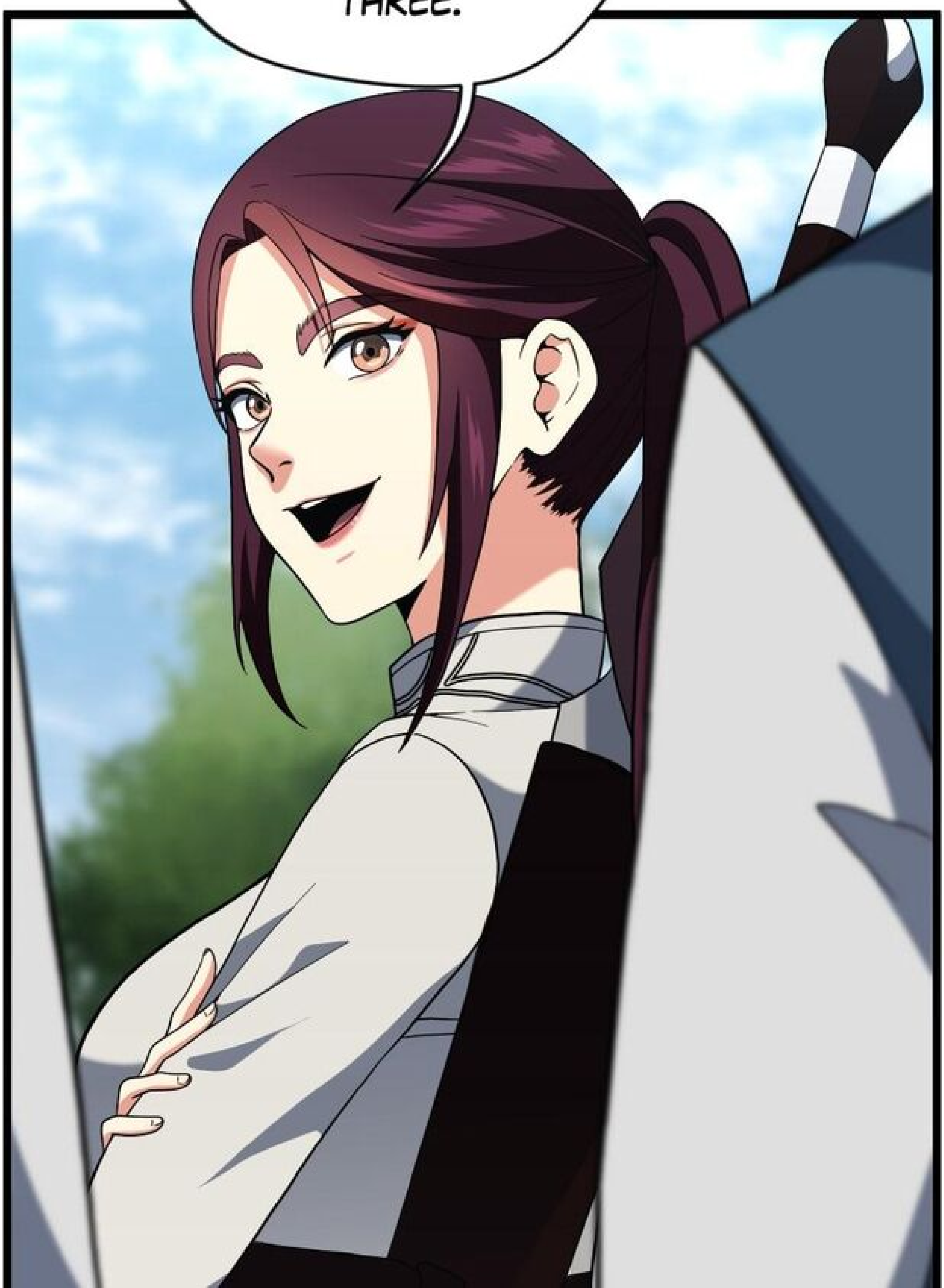
NOD
NOD

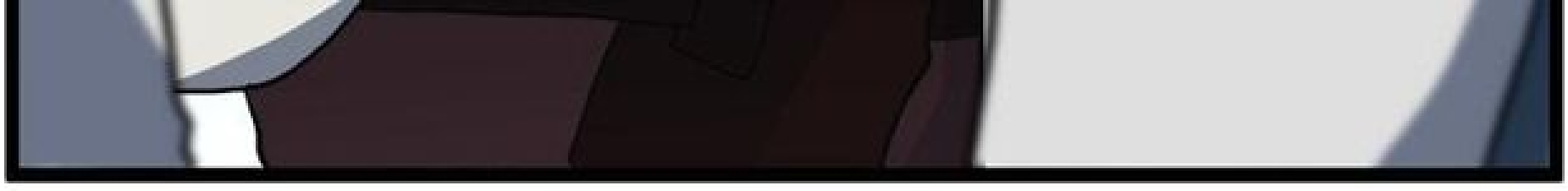
PROFESSOR, PRINCESS TESSIA AND I COULD BE THEIR OPPONENTS ON THE OTHER TEAM.

WHAT?! CLIVE--

OH, NOW THINGS ARE GETTING INTERESTING! THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE VS. THE STUDENT COUNCIL!

BUT IT WOULD BE UNFAIR TO HAVE TWO AGAINST THREE.





I'LL VOLUNTEER
TO BE ON THE STUDENT
COUNCIL TEAM.

AH--MR. WYKES, OUR OTHER GENIUS FRESHMAN.

I SUPPOSE IT WILL BE A GOOD CHANCE TO ASSESS YOUR ABILITIES.

VERY WELL.

THE SIX OF YOU--
GEAR UP!

SO YOU'RE THE COMMONER THAT STOLE MY SPOT IN THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE.

THE BEGINNING AFTER THE END

STORY BY
TURTLEME

ART BY
FUYUKI23

PRESENTED BY
TAPAS MEDIA

QUALITY CONTROL BY
KISAI ENTERTAINMENT

MAIN ASSISTANTS/ALKALENZ
STORYBOARD ASSISTANT/ORCATEA
COLORING ASSISTANTS/CHIBONIIE & YUEJI
LINING ASSISTANT/MIKAGE

PROJECT MANAGER
SERA SWATI

EDITORS
GABRIELLE LUU & AKY

SHOULD THE PRINCESS TESSIA REALLY BE HELPING ME LIKE THIS?

PLEASE REFRAIN
FROM TALKING SO LOUDLY,
PROFESSOR LEYWIN.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO ACT SO FORMAL.

THEY CAN'T HEAR US FROM OVER THERE ANYWAY.

I HATE HAVING TO ACT LIKE I DON'T KNOW YOU.

BLUNT

THEN DON'T.

YOU MEAN... YOU DON'T CARE?

MASTER CYNTHIA TOLD ME YOU WANTED TO KEEP A LOW PROFILE, SO I THOUGHT...

WELL, I HAVEN'T BEEN DOING A VERY GOOD JOB OF THAT, NOW HAVE I?

IT'S ALRIGHT.
AS LONG AS A FEW
THINGS ARE STILL SECRET,
THEN I'M FINE.

SYLVIE'S TRUE IDENTITY,
THE LEVEL OF MY MANA CORE,
AND... HAVE YOU NOTICED
ANYTHING?

I DON'T KNOW
WHAT--

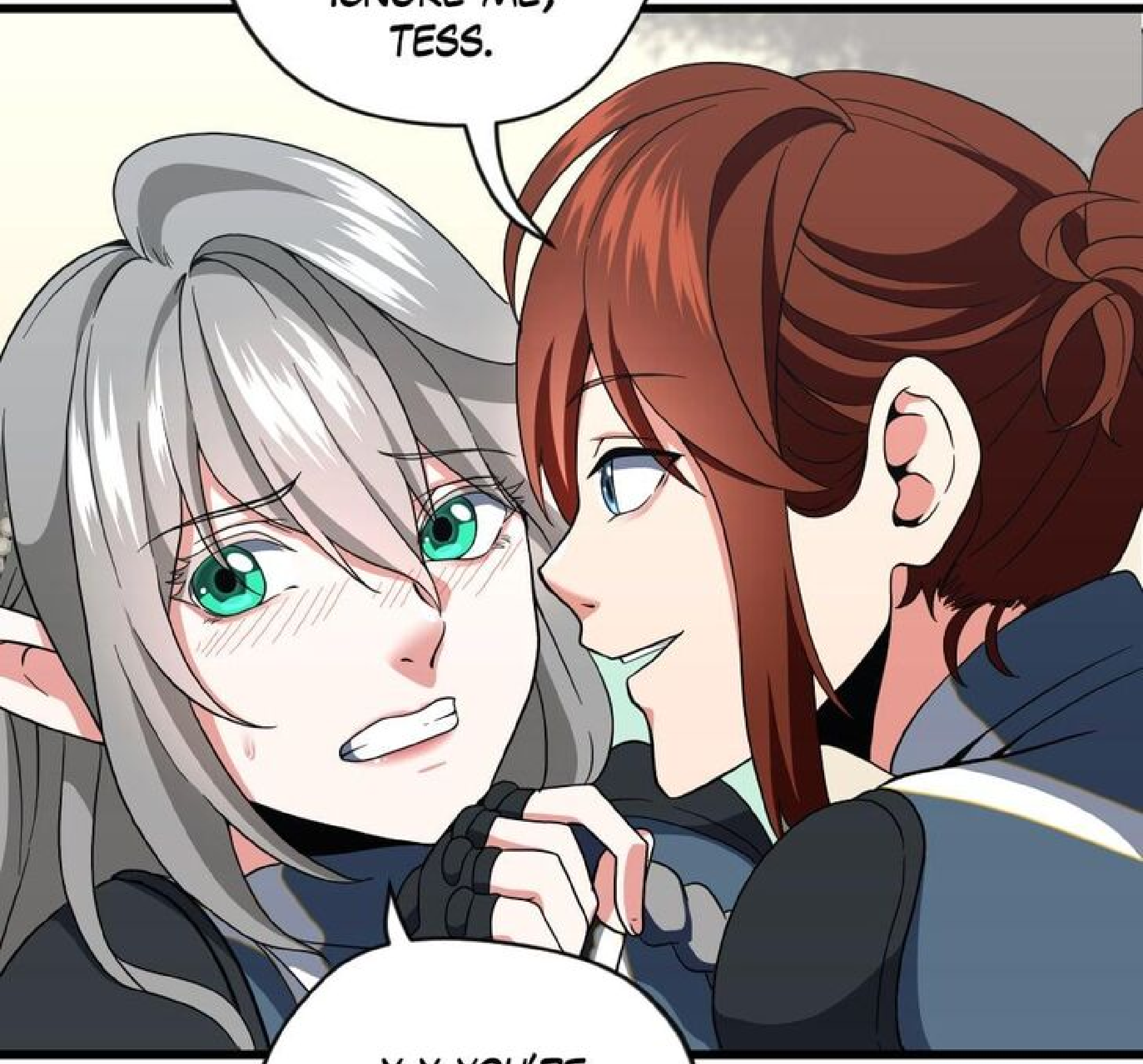
AH!

I CAN'T SENSE YOUR WATER--

I'M KEEPING MOST OF MY ABILITIES SECRET FOR NOW, SO I'D APPRECIATE

SO I'D APPRECIATE IF YOU DO THE SAME.

BUT YOU DON'T HAVE TO IGNORE ME, TESS.



Y-Y-YOU'RE TOO CLOSE...

YOU TWO!
ENOUGH FRATERNIZING
WITH THE ENEMY!

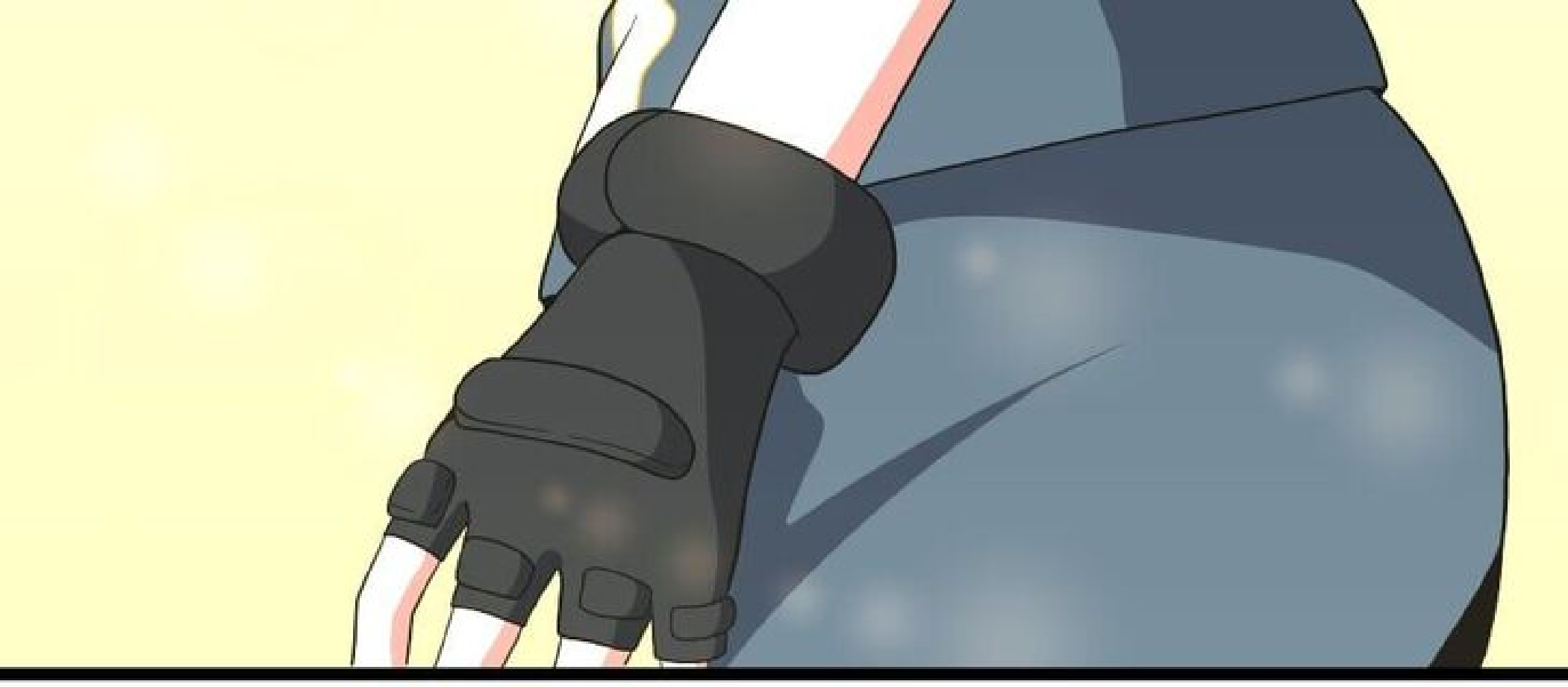
WE'LL BE STARTING
IN TWO MINUTES!

TESS!

LET'S BOTH
DO OUR BEST.

I WANT TO SEE
HOW MUCH YOU'VE
IMPROVED.

YOU'D BETTER
WATCH OUT THEN.



BEFORE WE BEGIN,
HERE ARE THE
RULES.

THE MATCH WILL
HAVE A TIME LIMIT
OF THIRTY MINUTES.

AFTER WHICH
WE'LL HAVE A SHORT
DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
OF WHAT PLAYS OUT.

TEAM DC WILL
HAVE A HANDICAP,

SINCE CURTIS
AND CLAIRE HAVE HAD
MORE CLASSICAL TRAINING
THAN TEAM SC WITH
TWO FIRST-YEARS.

THAT HANDICAP
IS...

ARTHUR LEYWIN WILL PLAY THE ROLE OF KING.
KNOCK HIM OUT, AND THE WHOLE TEAM LOSES.

THE GEAR YOU'RE USING IS SPECIALLY DESIGNED BY ARTIFICERS TO MEASURE THE AMOUNT OF DAMAGE DEALT.

IF THE AMOUNT OF DAMAGE PASSES THE THRESHOLD ENCRYPTED, IT WILL RELEASE A SHRILL NOISE.

ANYONE WHO CHOOSES TO IGNORE THIS WARNING AND CONTINUES TO FIGHT OR CAST SPELLS WILL BE IMMEDIATELY BANNED FROM MY CLASS,

AND MAY BE UP FOR EXPULSION.

LET ME BE CLEAR:

THIS EQUIPMENT WILL NOT PROTECT YOU.

YOU SHOULD BE ADVANCED ENOUGH TO PROTECT YOURSELF WITH MANA, BUT YOU CAN BE INJURED WHILE WEARING IT.

DON'T FORGET IT.

NOW...

LET THE BATTLE...

COMMENCE!

KEEP UP WITH US CREATORS
ON INSTAGRAM!
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